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AMENDMENT OFFERED BY MR... BILIRAKIS

Date offered: 4/10/97

Disposition: Defeate...

Page 6, strike lines 12 through 15.

Page 7, strike line 4 and all that follows through page 8, line 26.

Page 12, strike lines 26 through 28 (and redesignate the succeeding clauses accordingly).

Page 16, strike line 30 and all that follows through page 17, line 4.

Page 21, lines 5 through 6, strike "Except as provided in section 1859(b)(2) for MSA plans, each" and insert "Each".

Page 21, line 16, strike "(other than an MSA plan)".

Page 22, line 3, strike "(other than under an MSA plan)".

Page 23, lines 26 through 28, strike "and, if it is an MSA plan, a comparison of benefits under such a plan with benefits under other MedicarePlus plans".

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Page 46, strike line 6 and all that follows through page 47, line 5 (and redesignate the succeeding subsections accordingly).

Page 47, lines 8 through 9, strike "end payments to a MedicarePlus MSA under subsection (e)(1)(B)".

Page 50, strike lines 6 through 7 (and redesignate the succeeding paragraph accordingly).

Page 51, **strike lines** 8 through 9 (and redesignate the succeeding subparagraphs **accordingly**).

Page 63, strike lines 17 through 19 (and redesignate the succeeding paragraph accordingly).

Page 64, lines 8 through 11, strike ", except that in no case shall a contract under this section which provides for coverage under an MSA plan be effective before January 1999 with respect to such coverage".

Page 72, **strike** line 15 and **all** that **follows** through page 73, **line** 16.

Page 80, strike line 1 and all that follows through page 83, line 33.

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At the end of the text, add the following new chap-

## CHAPTER 4-EXTENSION OF PREMIUM

- 2 PROTECTION FOB LOW-INCOME MEDI-
- 3 **CARE BENEFICIARIES**
- 4 SEC 3461. EXTENSION OF SLMB PROTECTION.
- 5 (a) In General.—Section 1902(a)(10)(E)(iii) (42
- 6 U.S.C. 1396a(a)(10)(E)(iii)) is emended by striking "and
- 7 120 percent in 1995 and years thereafter" and inserting
- **8** ", 120 percent **in** 1995 through 1997, **125** percent in
- 9 1998,130 percent **in** 1999,135 percent in 2000,140 per
- 10 cent in 2001, 145 percent in 2002, and 150 percent in
- 11 2003 and years thereafter'.
- 12 **(b)** 100 PERCENT **FMAP**.—Section 1905(b) (42
- 13 U.S.C. **1396d(b)) is** amended by adding at the end the
- 14 following: "Notwithstanding the first sentence of this sec-
- 15 tion, the Federal medical assistance percentage shall be
- 16 100 percent with respect to amounts expended as medical
- 17 assistance for medical assistance described in section
- 18 1902(a)(10)(E)(iii) for individuals described in such sec-
- 19 tion whose income exceeds 120 percent of the official pov-
- 20 erty line referred to in such section.".